

HARDING PROPOSES
AID TO U. S. SHIPPING

Would Support Merchant Marine With Subsidies and Pay for Mail Service.

HOLDS SILENCE ON FUNDS

Country Not Alarmed Over 'Purchase' of Presidency, His Only Comment.

A Staff Correspondent of THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD.

MARION O., Sept. 1.—Senator Harding is in favor of holding high the standard of American seamanship, as expressed in the Lafolette bill, at the same time of building up the merchant marine by subsidies which will enable owners to meet all exactions and compete for cargoes under the terms of commercial treaties and the shipping bill.

This matter, which is now under discussion by the State Department and the Shipping Board, in view of the consideration of abrogation of certain treaties on September 30, engaged his attention briefly today. He spent most of the day in working on his agricultural address, which will be delivered next Wednesday at Minneapolis, and in considering his Labor Day address in Marion. When informed of the question raised over the shipping bill preference, he said:

"This bill was passed while I was engaged in the pre-convention campaign, and I am not entirely familiar with it. I voted for it and have never regretted favoring American bottoms. It is my deliberate judgment that the way to promote the American merchant marine is to take cognizance of the specific requirements of our shipping conditions which competing nations require, and to adjust ourselves to that situation. If the Lafolette seamen's act represents the conscience of America, as I believe it does, and that imposes unusual exactions on our shipping enterprise, American shipping, in order to expand and at the same time to be just to the men, must meet these requirements squarely and make necessary adjustments. You might call it a subsidy, but I consider it should pay its shipping for carrying its mails, as other countries pay. About all that would have to be done would be for us to pay as subsidies what other nations are willing to pay us for carrying their mails."

Seen Need of Subsidies.

He told of two sister ships that passed each other in the Pacific, one an American ship returning from the Orient and the other a British ship going to Australia. The Senator was traveling on the returning ship, the captain of which was father of the captain of the other ship. Father and son talked by wireless and each asked about the other's cargo. Each had much mail. Asked about the price for carrying American mail, the captain of the Sierra (American) said:

"I am ashamed to tell you, but the British Government is paying my son thirty times what the United States would pay me for taking the same mail to Australia."

He told of a former Democratic member of the Shipping Board who admitted to the Senator that the only way to put this nation on an equal footing was to pay ship subsidies.

The Senator refused to discuss the merits of the bill, but he was watching the development of the controversy closely.

"I have not noticed any signs of alarm over the country that this country is being bought for the Presidency," he said today, smilingly.

The Senator is scheduled to speak next Monday at Lincoln Park, Marion. One of the subjects announced is "The Plumb Plan League." There will be no debate on this subject, the Senator said today, remarking that every one knew where he stood on the Plumb Plan.

He told the railroad men at Gallien the other day that he was against it and considered the Esch-Cummings bill a great piece of legislation.

Senator Harding's paper, the Star, carries an editorial today on the subject of "The Russian Way," in which the Plumb Plan is discussed. This says in part:

"A soviet government may commit its victim to give up the goods and take worthless money in the first instance, but ultimately the effect will be to discourage production, in which event there will be no goods to take with or without compensation."

"The Plumb plan proposes that the Government sell bonds to raise money to buy the railroads and then turn the properties over to a commission of which the railroad employees would have a dominating voice. In practical effect, not technically, the employees would fix their own compensation."

"The new managers would have no special incentive to make the roads efficient, for they would not be called upon to pay deficits, and there would be no profits to share."

"There would be no substantial reward held out to the men who, because of years of experience and a willingness to work, could take a rundown and unprofitable railroad property and put it on a paying basis. Having no control as an owner, he could be ousted by the communistic management as soon as a head accomplished his undertaking. With such a prospect ahead he would act upon the policy adopted by the peasants of Russia and strive for nothing but the immediate needs of himself and family."

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The Senator will take a holiday tomorrow, going out to see the game between the Chicago Cubs and the Marion team, which has been specially arranged for his benefit. He will receive in the morning a delegation of representatives of school teachers' organizations, including W. T. McCoy of the Chicago School Committee, Wm. D. Owen of the National Educational Association, C. E. Stillman, president of the American Federation of Teachers, and R. C. Moore, president of the Illinois State Teachers Association. The Senator will outline his views as to national aid in bettering education.

DEMOCRATS DROP
HIRED VOTE GETTER

Hall Flirted with Republicans, Is Charge.

Prof. John O. Hall of Oregon, who was hired by the Democratic National Committee to garner Scandinavian votes, was "fired" summarily yesterday after Senator Harry S. New, head of the Republican Speakers' Bureau, had testified before the Senate Committee in Chicago that Hall had been in communication with him in regard to working for the Republican ticket.

According to Senator Pat Harrison, in charge of the Democratic headquarters here in the absence of Chairman George White, Mr. Hall had been hired by Hans Rieg, head of the Bureau of Naturalized Citizens, to work in the Scandinavian branch. He had been on the payroll for just a week at \$15 per week.

Mr. Rieg was in Chicago yesterday. Senator Harrison said he had never heard of Hall until he read what the papers had to say about him. Then he dug him up. Mr. Hall said he had been asked to work for the committee by a "fat man" whose name he thought was Reynolds. He acknowledged having had some correspondence with Senator New and on the strength of that was asked to terminate his services. He packed his personal effects and departed. He was still registered at the Murray.

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HAYS SEES NATION'S
GLORY AT STAKE

'A Serious Moment,' He Tells Chairman of Middle West Republican Workers.

Special to THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Plans for carrying on the Republican Presidential campaign throughout the Middle West were discussed today by members of the National Committee and the chairman and vice-chairman of sixteen States. Will H. Hays presided and he was assisted by Capt. Victor Heintz, regional head of the Third district. The States included in this district are Wisconsin, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri and Arkansas.

Chairman Hays said: "It is a most serious moment in the country's history. Every one recognizes that upon the proper direction of the Government in the period just ahead depends the wellbeing of our people and the glory of our nation for decades to come."

"Republicans approach this responsibility with a seriousness commensurate with its magnitude and our candidates are the nation's best exponents of the party's high purpose. We have no time for backbiting, pullings and haulings. Continual charges and counter charges accomplish nothing. Serious problems confront the people. An honest effort to aid the electorate to think clearly and act intelligently is the real duty of a political committee. It is a national service. To the discharge of this duty we purpose to direct our effort and from these efforts nothing can detract us. We invite the opposition to do likewise."

"We fight for the faith of the fathers of the Republic and for the perpetual freedom of the sons and daughters of America. We go about our effort with a spirit of complete victory, which surely in November will make Warren G. Harding and Calvin Coolidge, new leaders of the party, then leaders of the Republic."

Plans for capturing the vote of the heavy enfranchised women were also discussed at length.

Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton, vice chairman of the national committee, who has just returned from Washington, announced that she was assured by both Secretary of State Coby and Assistant Attorney General Fricson that the ratification of the Suffrage Amendment is history, and that the action of Tennessee Assembly in bringing about a reconsideration would not affect the ratification of the amendment. Mrs. Upton said:

"There is not the slightest possibility that effective injunctions against its full operation in the forthcoming Presidential election can be produced."

"The attempt in Tennessee upon the part of the minority to bring about a reconsideration is merely the act of a number of poor losers. I inquired concerning States which had ratified the amendment, but in which efforts might be made to rescind their action. On this point it was informed by Mr. Coby that when a constitutional amendment has been legally ratified by the proper number of States that is the end of it. States taking further action are too late."

Republican victory in Oklahoma, heretofore a Democratic stronghold, is predicted by Mrs. Ols R. Curston, vice-chairman of the Oklahoma State Committee.

"Oklahoma is thoroughly disgusted with Democratic administration," she said. "This will be the first election at which its women may vote, and they are going to vote the Republican ticket for the first time in Oklahoma a woman is running for Congress. She is Miss Alice R. Robinson from the Second district. Five men are running against her, but she has a fine chance for success."

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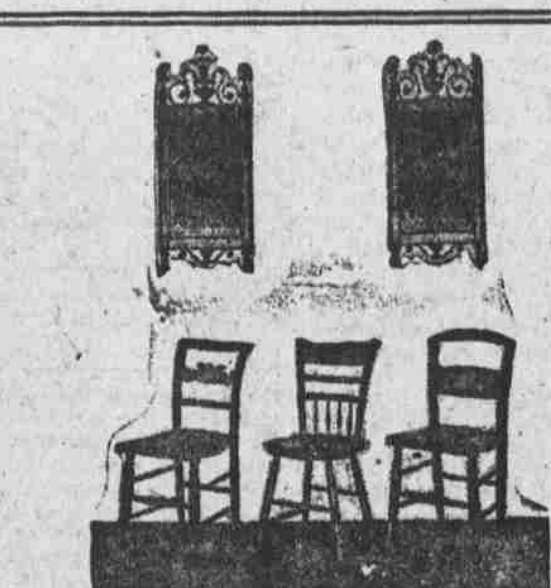
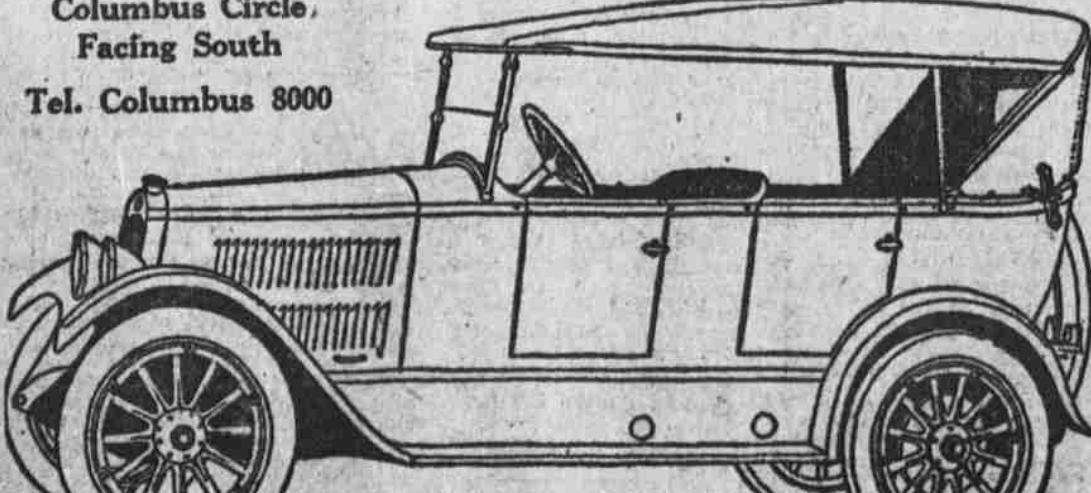
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